

REMARKS

Proper status identifiers have been provided for claims 2, 3, 10, 12, and 26. Claims 1, 4-9, 11, 13-14, and 19-25 are pending in this application.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge all required fees or credit any overpayment to Squire Sanders & Dempsey L.L.P. Deposit Account No. 07-1850. The Examiner is invited to call the undersigned with any questions or concerns.

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